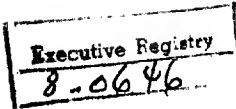


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ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

March 20, 1956

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Attached for your information and retention are five (5) copies of the report to the Secretary of State by the United States Delegation to the International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy held at Geneva in August, 1955. The report summarizes the United States participation in the Conference including a report on each session of the Conference, prepared by the U.S. representative most directly concerned with the subject discussed. The classified supplement to the basic report presents an evaluation of Soviet capabilities as demonstrated at the Conference.

While this report was being prepared, a number of offices in the Central Intelligence Agency expressed an interest in obtaining copies. These offices were CC, OSI (for NED), and OCR (for BR and the Library). It would be appreciated if some of the attached copies could be supplied to these offices, since the total number available is limited.

Sincerely yours,

*Charles H. Reichardt*  
Charles H. Reichardt  
Director of Intelligence

The Honorable Allen W. Dulles  
Director of Central Intelligence

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*Card*  
Honorable Lewis L. Strauss  
Chairman  
United States Atomic Energy Commission  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Lewis:

Many thanks for your letter of 9 March  
and the copy of AEC's 19th Semiannual Report.

This is a most interesting report, Lewis,  
and reflects real progress on the part of your  
organization. You may be sure that it will be  
of considerable use to us.

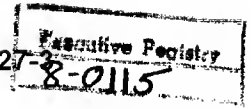
Faithfully,

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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Honorable Allen Dulles  
Director, Central Intelligence Agency  
2430 E Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Allen:

Herewith is a copy of the Atomic Energy Commission's Nineteenth Semiannual Report. It covers, within the limits of national security, the major activities of the AEC and its contractors during the last half of 1955. A short special section reports on the United States participation in the International Conference on the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy.

I hope the report may be of use and interest to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lewis".

Lewis L. Strauss

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